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FINAL PRICE REDUCTIONS ON OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF READY-MADE GARMENTS MEANS ITS IMMEDIATE EXIT

One of the strong features of this sale is the choiceness of the merchandise, correct ideas and styles. Every garment or suit offered in this sale is desirable and in many instances at a mere trifle of the actual cost. When we announce our Fall opening not a dollar's worth of summer merchandise must be in the house. Such is our unchanging policy---adhered to more strictly this season than ever.

PARASOLS Reduced 1-2

They're Silks, Linen, Hand-Embroidered Styles, Lace Effects, Embroidered Parasols, Black and White Plaid, Plain Colors, Polka Dots and Coin Spot Effects ranging in price from 50c to \$6.50. Also a complete line of Children's Parasols. All the above reduced to

Half Price



BIG SAVINGS ON STAPLES

All Fancy Calicoes, worth 7½c, now.....	5c
Pepperell 10-4 Bleached Sheeting, worth 32½c now.....	28c
Foxcraft 10-4 Bleached Sheeting, worth 27½c now.....	23c
Good as Gold 4-4 Bleached soft finished, 10c.....	8½c
Old Faithful 4-4 Bleached soft finished, 9c.....	7c
Inez 4-4 Brown, worth 10c.....	8c
Easley 4-4 Brown, worth 8c.....	6½c
Keswick heavy shirting, worth 10c.....	8½c

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

\$.25 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	\$.21
.35 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.28
.50 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.39
.75 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.63
1.00 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.84
Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers to match.....	
50c Stretchy Seam drawers, special.....	39c

BIG VALUES IN MEN'S, AND BOYS' SUMMER CLOTHING AND PANTS

The best thing about this sale is that you do your own figuring. Look at the plainly marked price and TAKE OFF 25 PER CENT.

Pay \$.94 for Suits marked \$1.25.....	keep \$.31
Pay 1.12 for Suits marked 1.50.....	keep .38
Pay 1.50 for Suits marked 2.00.....	keep .50
Pay 1.87 for Suits marked 2.50.....	keep .63
Pay 2.25 for Suits marked 3.00.....	keep .75
Pay 2.62 for Suits marked 3.50.....	keep .88
Pay 3.00 for Suits marked 4.00.....	keep 1.00
Pay 3.75 for Suits marked 5.00.....	keep 1.25
Pay 4.50 for Suits marked 6.00.....	keep 1.50
Pay 6.00 for Suits marked 8.00.....	keep 2.00
Pay 7.50 for Suits marked 10.00.....	keep 2.50
Pay 9.00 for Suits marked 12.00.....	keep 3.00
Pay 11.25 for Suits marked 15.00.....	keep 3.75
Pay 13.50 for Suits marked 18.00.....	keep 4.50
Pay 15.00 for Suits marked 20.00.....	keep 5.00

A BONAFIDE DISCOUNT OF 25 Per Cent on all Laces and Embroideries

and on all Ladies' and Misses' Neckwear, Ladies' and Misses' Belts, Ladies' Shell Back and Side Combs, Ladies' Purses, Shopping Bags and Fans.

Lace Curtains, Portiers, Bedspreads

Table Covers, Rugs and Art Squares at 25 per cent off during this sale.

\$1.00 qualities all go at.....	\$.75
1.50 qualities all go at.....	1.15
2.00 qualities all go at.....	1.50
3.00 qualities all go at.....	2.25
4.00 qualities all go at.....	3.00
5.00 qualities all go at.....	3.75
7.50 qualities all go at.....	5.63

Summer Dress Goods and Silks

A great assortment--greater reductions.

All 10c values, this sale.....	7c
All 12½c values, this sale.....	9c
All 15c values, this sale.....	11c
All 20c values, this sale.....	16c
All 25c values, this sale.....	18c
All 30c values, this sale.....	23c
All 35c values, this sale.....	27c
All 40c values, this sale.....	31c
All 45c values, this sale.....	36c
All 50c values, this sale.....	39c
All 60c values, this sale.....	47c
All 65c values, this sale.....	49c
All 75c values, this sale.....	58c
All 90c values, this sale.....	69c
All \$1.00 values, this sale.....	79c
All 1.25 values, this sale.....	98c

SPECIAL GROCERY SALE

Standard Granulated Sugar, 17 pounds for.....	\$1.00
Schmitt & Steinhardt's Selection Flour, per barrel in sacks.....	5.75
Golden Gate Flour, per barrel in sacks.....	5.75
Choice Peaberry Green Coffee, 7 lbs. for.....	1.00
Choice Rio Green Coffee, 8 lbs. for.....	1.00
Fancy Rio Green Coffee, 7 lbs. for.....	1.00
25c Extra Standard Calif. Peaches, Pears and Apricots, No. 3s.....	can 19c

Clean Sweep of all Odd and End Lots Shoes and Slippers

\$1.00 and \$1.35 kinds to go at.....	98c
1.75 and 2.00 kinds to go at.....	\$1.33
2.25 and 2.50 kinds to go at.....	1.90
2.75 and 3.00 kinds to go at.....	2.23
3.50 and 4.00 kinds to go at.....	2.99
4.50 and 5.00 kinds to go at.....	3.77

Savings on Matting

One-Fourth off Regular Prices.

20c values.....	15c
25c values.....	19c
30c values.....	22c
35c values.....	27c
40c values.....	30c
45c values.....	33c
50c values.....	38c

Ladies' Plain and Emb. Handkerchiefs

5c values on sale at.....	3c
10c values on sale at.....	6c
12½c values on sale at.....	9c
15c values on sale at.....	11c
20c values on sale at.....	15c
25c values on sale at.....	19c
30c values on sale at.....	24c
35c values on sale at.....	29c
40c values on sale at.....	33c
50c values on sale at.....	41c

Ladies' and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Apparel

Such as Skirts, Underskirts, Shirtwaists, Suits, and Muslin Underwear.

50c garments now only.....	38c
65c garments now only.....	49c
\$1.00 garments now only.....	75c
1.25 garments now only.....	94c
1.50 garments now only.....	\$1.12
2.00 garments now only.....	1.50
2.50 garments now only.....	1.88
3.00 garments now only.....	2.25
4.50 garments now only.....	3.38
5.00 garments now only.....	3.75
6.00 garments now only.....	4.50
7.50 garments now only.....	5.63
9.00 garments now only.....	6.75

FURNITURE

A Mammoth Assortment--New 1910
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We allow a bona-fide discount of 10 Per Cent for cash on all Furniture purchases and will pay the freight on same from here to all railroad points between San Antonio and Uvalde.

BIG SAVINGS ON GLASSWARE

4-piece Glass Sets, worth 1.00.....	83c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 85c.....	72c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 75c.....	63c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 50c.....	39c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 35c.....	23c
Glass Water Tumblers, 5c.....	3c
25c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	19c
35c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	27c
40c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	29c
45c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	37c
40c Fancy Glass Fruit Stands.....	29c
5c Fancy Glass Fruit Saucers.....	3c
10c Fancy Glass Fruit Saucers.....	6c
25c Fancy Glass Cream Pitchers.....	19c

SUMMER HOSIERY FOR MEN, BOYS, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

In Hosiery especially we give you more for your money than any other store hereabouts. Note the following bargains:

All Hose, fully worth 10c, this sale.....	8c
All Hose, fully worth 12½c, this sale.....	9c
All Hose, fully worth 15c, this sale.....	12c
All Hose, fully worth 20c, this sale.....	17c
All Hose, fully worth 25c, this sale.....	21c
All Hose, fully worth 35c, this sale.....	28c
All Hose, fully worth 50c, this sale.....	44c

OUTING SHIRTS AT CLEARANCE PRICES

An Outing Shirt wants to be light and cool. A Shirt that does not fit perfectly is sure to be uncomfortable. Our Outing Shirts fit as well as if they were made to order.

\$1.25 Outing Shirts, Clean Sweep Price.....	98c
1.50 Outing Shirts, Clean Sweep Price.....	\$1.27
1.72 Outing Shirts, Clean Sweep Price.....	1.48
2.00 Outing Shirts, Clean Sweep Price.....	1.69
2.50 Outing Shirts, Clean Sweep Price.....	2.12
3.00 Outing Shirts, Clean Sweep Price.....	2.53



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SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 1910.

Official Program

Of the Texas Dry Farming Congress, Second Annual Session, Eagle Pass, August 17, 18 and 19, 1910:

FIRST SESSION--AUGUST 17.

Orchestra; 8:30 p. m.--Convention called to order by G. A. Martin of El Paso, President of the Texas Dry Farming Congress.

Invocation, Rev. Chas. B. Cross of Eagle Pass.

Address of Welcome, Hon. John R. Sanford, President of Eagle Pass Industrial League.

Response on Behalf of Visitors and Delegates, Dr. Benjamin F. Berkeley of Alpine, Texas.

Annual Report and Origin and Object of the Dry Farming Congress, President G. A. Martin of El Paso.

Orchestra.

Cultivation of the Soil to Conserve Moisture, Prof. S. H. Hastings, in charge of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Experiment Farm, San Antonio, Texas.

Appointment of Committees.

Announcements.

Five Minute Discussions.

Adjourn till 10:00 a. m., August 18.

SECOND SESSION--AUGUST 18.

10:00 a. m.--Convention Called to Order.

Invocation, Rev. L. I. Insley of Eagle Pass.

Forage Crops for West Texas, J. L. Quicksall, Special Agent, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Farmers Demonstration Work, Waco, Texas.

Questions and Answers.

How to Raise Crops Successfully in the Dry Farm Belt of West Texas, J. W. Neill, Director of Farmers' Institutes, Texas State Department of Agriculture, Austin, Texas.

Questions and Answers.

Farm Management in Dry Land Regions--Prof. B. Youngblood, Special Agent U. S. Department of Agriculture, Oklahoma City, Ok.

Five Minute Talks by Practical Dry Land Farmers.

Adjourn for Lunch.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON--AUGUST 18.

2:30 o'clock--Delegates taken in charge by the Eagle Pass Automobile Association, and taken on excursion to and through the coal mines and irrigated farms near Eagle Pass, a sight-seeing trip through Cd. P. Diaz, in Old Mexico, and to the old time Texas Roping Contest, at which delegates will be guests of honor.

THIRD SESSION--AUGUST 18, 8:30 P. M.

Orchestra.

Call to Order by the President.

The Soil Mulch, by a Practical Soil Mulcher, R. R. Claridge, Agricultural Commissioner, I. & G. N. Ry. Co., Palestine, Texas.

Questions and Answers.

Undeveloped Resources, Prof. H. P. Attwater, Industrial Agent Sunset-Central Route, Houston, Texas.

Scientific Dry Land Farming in Mexico, Sr. Zeferino Dominguez, Professor of Agriculture, Hacienda de Santa Maria, Coahuila, Mexico.

Five Minute Talks by Practical Dry Land Farmers.

Orchestra.

FOURTH SESSION--AUGUST 19, 10:00 A. M.

Call to Order.

Invocation, Rev. L. T. Insley.

Dry Land Agriculture in the Trans-Pecos Country, Prof. H. H. Harrington, Director Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station, Texas.

Discussion.

How to Succeed on the Farm in West Texas, Hon. Ed. R. Kone, State Commissioner of Agriculture, Austin, Texas.

General Discussion.

Short Talks by Practical Dry Land Farmers.

Seed Testing Demonstration, Prof. Zeferino Dominguez, of Mexico.

Adjourn for Lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON--AUGUST 19.

2:30 o'clock--Delegates will be taken in charge by Eagle Pass Automobile Club. Excursion to local points of interest. Eat Dry Farm Raised Water-melons from farm of W. E. Miller, the Pioneer Dry Farmer of Maverick County. Base Ball Contest. Reception by the Ladies' Civic Improvement League.

FIFTH SESSION--AUGUST 19, 8:30 P. M.

Orchestra.

Call to Order.

Results of Dry Farming in the West, Prof. J. D. Tinsley, Agricultural Demonstrator, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, Agricultural College, New Mexico.

Reports of Committees.

Selection of Officers.

Selection of Next Place of Meeting.

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D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Miss Clara Rinkus of Sabinal, arrived here Wednesday to visit home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughters, Lena and Effie, were Sabinal visitors Sunday.

Mr. Hy. Wernette and two sons, Harry and Edwin, spent Monday in Hondo on business.

Mrs. A. C. Miller and Miss Emma Weynand were Hondo visitors Sunday.

Mr. S. J. Finger brought in the first bale of cotton of the season, weighing 510 pounds, which was sold to Mr. Louis Carle for 16c. a pound, the bale bringing \$81.60. Mr. Finger also received as a premium \$5.00 given by Mr. T. J. Sauter.

The dinner and supper served at the Rothe & Koch warehouse on Thursday for the benefit of the Saint Anthony School proved a genuine success both from a financial and social viewpoint.

The barbecue at the Batot ranch on Thursday was an enjoyable affair in every particular. The barbecued meats were excellent, besides many other choice edibles were in evidence to appeal to the most exacting epicure. In the afternoon a base ball game between local teams was witnessed by the assembled throng, and one of the most pleasant days ever spent by the people of that neighborhood was rounded out by the assemblage en masse coming in and mingling with the dancers at Sauter & Koch's hall at night.

Last Sunday Edwin and Richard Wernette, twin brothers, celebrated their birthday. Quite a number gathered to do honor to the occasion. The day was spent in playing base ball and other amusements. Lemonade, ice cream, cake and candy were the refreshments served. The evening was greatly enjoyed by all those present.

Mr. Walter Thiel, of San Antonio, is here visiting Mr. Leopold Britz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wanshaff, of Hondo, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Weltner of Camp Verde, all enjoyed a dinner party at Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallrath's this week.

Nick and Henry Walter were the second to bring in new cotton this season. They brought in a bale Wednesday which weighed 545 pounds and was sold to Rothe & Koch for 16c. a pound, which brought the nice little sum of \$87.20.

Adolph Zimmermann and sisters, Misses Orelia and Louisa, left for Castroville Friday.

Wm. and Edward Weynand were in town Thursday and Friday and paid The News office an appreciated call.

Paul Keller came over from Devine to the 4th celebration. He returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Weltner have returned to their mountain home, after a month's visit at D'Hanis and Hondo.

Mr. Ed Reiber of San Antonio, arrived in D'Hanis Friday to mingle once more with his many friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Katie Ray of Del Rio, arrived here Sunday evening with Miss Emma Koch and will be the guest of Mrs. J. M. Koch and family for some little time. Miss Emma reports having had a most enjoyable time during her absence visiting her many friends and relatives at Carrizo Springs, Del Rio and other points west.

Mr. Jacob Reinhart of Sabinal, was a D'Hanis visitor Thursday.

Mr. James Ney arrived here Sunday from Uvalde to spend the holidays with home folks.

Mr. Chas. Marty came over from Castroville Thursday to celebrate the 4th with friends and incidentally to do a little missionary work for the big celebration planned for Castroville on the 14th.

Mrs. A. C. Miller and Mrs. B. Wernette were Hondo visitors Wednesday. Mrs. Ben Wernette arrived home Tuesday from Dunlay.

Miss Ida Tondre of Castroville is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. Richard Reiley and Erich Rothe arrived home from St. Louis Wednesday. They report having had a splendid time.

Mr. Ed Reiber of San Antonio came in Tuesday to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Mattie Keifer of San Antonio is here during the holidays.

The Laziest Man in the World would not be content to be kept in the house and doing nothing by rheumatism. Neither are you, who are always busy and active. Then don't neglect the first twinge of an ache or pain that you might think is just a "crick." Rub well with Ballard's Snow Liniment and no matter what the trouble is it will disappear at once. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Messrs. August Etter and brother-in-
law, Wm. R. Bippert, made a business
trip to Renton last week. They report
crops somewhat better than in this section.

Hon. L. J. Brucks was here on legal
business Tuesday and again on Satur-
day.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Kralik paid a
visit to Rev. and Mrs. Stadler at Quihi
Wednesday.

F. Jos., Wm. and Albert Biediger
and families, J. O. Holzhaus and fam-
ily and others enjoyed a picnic and fish
fry at Vollmer's grove Wednesday.

Several from this vicinity went to
D'Hanis Thursday to participate in the
St. Dominic festivities.

Mr. Frank Vann and son, Ben, hap-
pened to a peculiar accident Friday af-
ternoon. While driving along the river
bank their team became frightened and
began backing up, throwing the wagon
and occupants into the river. Fortu-
nately they both escaped with a good
ducking and the wagon was only slight-
ly damaged.

The first six bales of the season were
ginned at Courand's gin Saturday.

Messrs. Nic. L. Tschirhart and A. E.
Halbardi and Misses Clara Franger
and Clotilda Tschirhart left Saturday
on a pleasure trip to San Antonio and
Sutherland Springs.

Mr. Leopold Brieden of Hondo was
a Castroville visitor Sunday.

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Herald.

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The Blues played against the Mar-
ried Men Sunday afternoon. The score
was 16 to 17 in favor of the Blues.

Joe Keller made a business trip to
Black Creek Sunday.

Messrs. Hy. Steinhil and Sam Etter
Jr. of Jourdan spent Sunday and
Monday with home folks in our midst.

What might have been a serious ac-
cident happened to Mrs. Jos. Carle of
this place and her grandson, Eddie
Haby, of Dunlay, late Monday evening.
Ed came over for the purpose of tak-
ing his grandmother out to Dunlay.
While driving along the horse took
fright and ran into Aug. Bader's wire
fence, upsetting the buggy and throw-
ing the occupants out. Fortunately
they went through the ordeal with only
a few slight bruises. They secured
a horse and buggy from Mr. Bader
and drove on home. The horse ran all
the way out to Dunlay. The buggy
was smashed badly.

Work was begun Monday on Ed
Hans' new brick butcher shop. When
completed Ed intends to put in electric
fans.

Misses Julie and Josephine Courand
of San Antonio are spending the week
with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer.

F. Kilhorn Sr. begs us to state that
there will be plenty of barbecued meat
and sausage on the picnic grounds next
Sunday.

Castroville, Aug. 9, 1910.

Stagers Skeptics.

That a clean, nice, fragrant com-
pound like Bucklen's Arnica Save will
instantly relieve a bad burn, cut, scald,
wound or piles, staggers skeptics. But
great cures prove it's a wonderful
healer of the worst sores, ulcers, boils,
feloas, eczema, skin eruptions, as also
chapped hands, sprains and corns. Try
it. 25c. at W. H. Windrow's.

Fairy Literature.

"Father," said Little Rollo, "what is
a prospectus?"
"The kind I am mostly acquainted
with, my son, is the sort of fairy tale
adapted to the tastes of adults instead
of children."

Cuts and bruises may be healed in
about one-third the time required by
the usual treatment by applying Cham-
berlain's Liniment. It is an antiseptic
and causes such injuries to heal with-
out maturation. This liniment also re-
lieves soreness of the muscles and
rheumatic pains. For sale by all deal-
ers.

Must Deliver the Goods.

"Statesmanship has its cares," said
one eminent citizen.

"Yes," replied the other; "when a
statesman travels, he has to get up
speeches for the people to read, in-
stead of merely sending home post
cards."

A well known Des Moines woman af-
ter suffering miserably for two days
from bowel complaint, was cured by
one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Chol-
era and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale
by all dealers.

Has to Be Careful.

"I never dare to look down, when
I'm standing on a high place," said
Mrs. Lapsling. "It always give me
an attack of vertigo."

An ordinary case of diarrhoea can, as
a rule, be cured by a single dose of
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Dia-
rrhoea Remedy. This remedy has no
superior for bowel complaints. For
sale by all dealers.

Recipe for Happiness.

The art of living easily as to means
is to pitch your scale of living one de-
gree lower than your means.—Henry
Taylor.

A Rope.

Every woman lives in hope that the
next Christmas is going to be the one
when her husband will be rich enough
to surprise her with a diamond ring.

Mention the Anvil Herald to our
advertisers

The Gold of Life.

Last morn we saw the rainbow, she and I,
That glanced along the uttermost con-
fine
Of sight, above the west horizon line.
When suddenly she said: "In the years
gone by

I dreamed that heaps of gold were in
the sky,
That God's bright arch was hung
there as a sign
To mark the place; but truer wealth
is mine,
For close at hand life dearest treasures
lie."

Now I remember how, for summers
past,

Often and often I have thought of her,
And coveted her heart-joys mani-
fold,—

And on my mind the truth dawns clear
at last

That she—God's surest, best inter-
preter—

In sweet content has found life's pur-
est gold.

—New Idea Woman's Magazine for
September.

An Expert's Opinion of Skin Diseases.

A prominent, national expert on skin
diseases whose name you are familiar
with says that in all his scientific ex-
perience he has never found so hard a
disease to conquer as Eczema. Yet he
does not hesitate to recommend ZEMO
as a most successful remedy for the
treatment of Eczema, itching skin
diseases, dandruff, pimples, black-
heads and all other diseases of the skin
and scalp. He says that not only do
its curative qualities make it popular
but also the fact that it is a clean, li-
quid remedy for external use. A great
improvement over the old style greasy
salves and lotions which are not only
unpleasant to use but do not destroy
the germ life that causes the disease.
ZEMO draws the germs to the surface
and destroys them, leaving the skin
clear and healthy. Can be used free-
ly on infants. Mr. W. H. Windrow
will gladly supply those who call with a
free sample bottle of ZEMO and a
booklet which explains in simple lan-
guage all about skin diseases and how
to cure yourself at home with ZEMO.

Don't Miss These Eye Don'ts.

Cut out the following list of "eye
don'ts" and pin them up in your bed-
rooms where you can readily see them
each day:

Don't read facing a light.
Don't read while you rock.
Don't work in a poor light.
Don't write or read or sew lying
down.
Don't try to enlarge or brighten your
eyes by dropping belladonna into them.
Don't rub your eyes.
Don't use your eyes when they smart
and water.
Don't tax them when you are ex-
hausted physically.

Don't forget that eyes need to be
petted.
Don't forget that happy thoughts
make the eyes sparkle and glow in a
most fascinating way.—New Idea Wo-
man's Magazine for September.

Minute Measurements.

Because the balance wheels of
watches expand and contract with
changes of temperature they run
slower and faster, according to cir-
cumstances. By making them of dif-
ferent kinds of metal, having different
degrees of expansion with increase of
temperature, the effect of their
changes on the running of watches
may be almost entirely eliminated.
But in dealing with such a problem it
is necessary to know the expansibility
of the metal employed.

A means of measuring it is fur-
nished by an instrument called a
dilatometer, in which a system of deli-
cate levers or a chain of gear wheels
magnifies the motion of a pointer over
a graduated scale hundreds of times.
At a meeting of the Physical society
in London not long ago a dilatometer
was exhibited which had a magnifica-
tion of 1,500 times, so that the change
in the length of a piece of steel caused
by a single degree of rise or fall of
temperature was clearly measured by it.

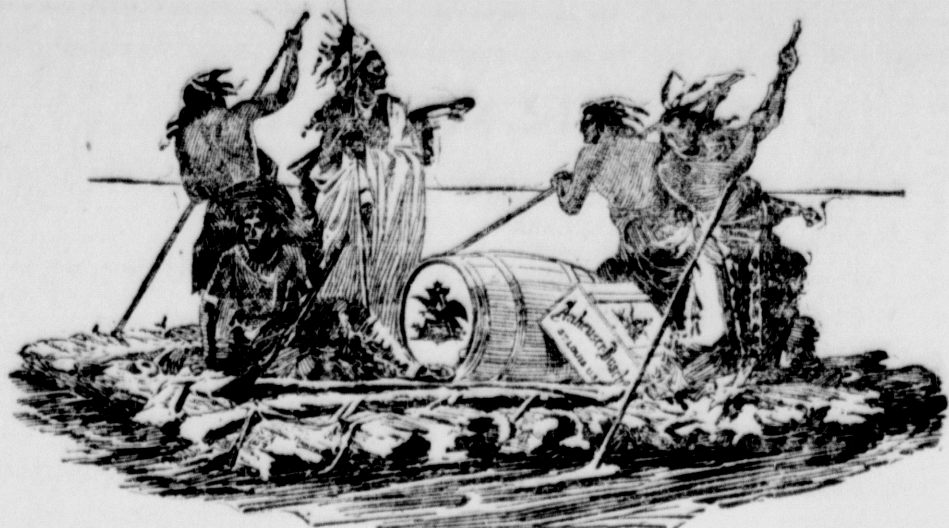
As You Like It.

The aged, worn, and guileless-look-
ing individual sauntered up to the
desk of the clerk in a southern hotel,
and quavered, as he drew from his
wallet a yellow bill, "Friend, will you
kindly give me five silver dollars in
exchange for this memento of the
good old confederate days?"

The clerk glanced quickly at the
proffered bill, smiled to himself, tossed
it into the drawer, and counted out
the five dollars. When the guileless-
looking individual had gone, the clerk
examined the bill he had just taken
in. He found that it was, or was not,
a good U. S. bill. Either way you
take it, it makes a story. It has never
been decided which is the better way.
—Puck.

Her Objection.

Carlyle's dictum, "Not on morality,
but on cooking let us build our philoso-
phy," is recalled by the following:
"An aged aunt, though in the position
of guest, protested against the appear-
ance of a really noble rabbit pie on
her nephew's breakfast table. It was
not that she feared ptomaine poison-
ing. Her objections were ethical. Rab-
bits, she declared with a wonderful
mid-Victorianism, were 'such immoral
animals.'"



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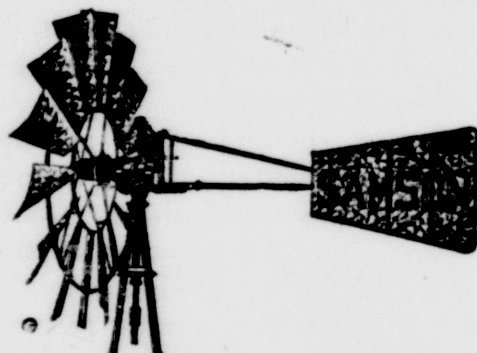
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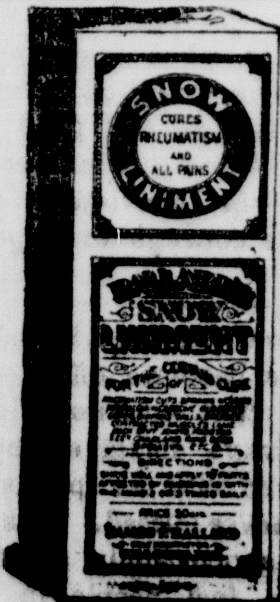
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: : VIEWS AND REVIEWS: :

BEWARE of nurturing a viper lest it turn and sting you!

EDITOR Ernest Thorp of the D'Hanis News and Miss Fina Enderle, one of that town's fairest daughters, were happily wedded in that city Wednesday afternoon. The Anvil Herald wishes for them a future as full of love and pleasure as was their happy wedding day.

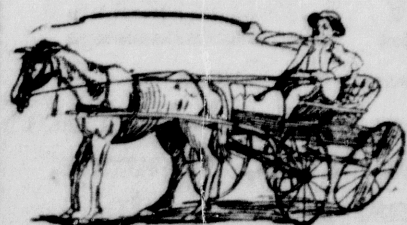
With all of its imperfections—and there are many—the people can be thankful that the Terrell election law enables them to select their public officials by the still but potent voice of the ballot instead of having it done by the howling mob that usually constitutes a convention.

If you have anything to sell or trade or if you have lost or found something; in fact, if you have any wants the public can supply in any way advertise them in these columns. The cost is a mere trifle—5 cents a line each insertion for one, two or three insertions or only three cents for four or more insertions. Try it.

WE want to say a good word for the man who meets his small obligations promptly. They are not as plentiful as they should be and the man needs encouraging. Most men will pay but fewer will pay promptly. Almost any firm will testify that counting the time, postage, booking, and the like, it costs all some accounts are worth to collect them, and still the man owing it to them is perfectly responsible in a financial way. It very often happens that the worst sinner in this particular is the man best able to pay.—Nixon News.

REGARDLESS of political differences, every heart in Texas that is touched by humanitarian impulses goes out in sympathy for Hon. O. B. Colquitt in the sad and untimely death of his young son which occurred last Sunday. Death is always sad. But coming at the time this did it prevented Mr. Colquitt's attendance at the State Convention there to receive the tribute from his followers which his political success entitled him and which it would have been their pleasure to accord him. May the God of that peace which passeth understanding bring to him and his stricken household surcease of sorrow.

**New Rigs
Just
Arrived**



PHONE 61

THE Submission Proposition carried by a majority of nearly 30,000 of those who voted on that proposition in the recent primary election, and it is assumed that two-thirds of the Representative and Senatorial Districts have instructed their representatives to submit an amendment providing for Constitutional Prohibition to a vote of the people. If this is true it will be the duty of the Legislature to submit the proposition. The framers of the state platform assume such to be the case and have so recommended. Therefore, it is probable that within the next two years the people of Texas will be called upon to vote on whether or not State-Wide Prohibition shall be adopted in the state. If the proposition is defeated then, doubtless, we will all agree that it was a misfortune that it was not defeated in the form of the submission proposition and the state spared the turmoil, the strife and the expense of another campaign. If Prohibition carries—and from the present outlook the issue is in no wise certain—as a consistent anti-prohibitionist we believe the result would be a serious disaster to our great state. The reasons for our belief are too numerous to be argued here. They will develop as the campaign progresses, for no one ever has to surmise what our position on matters of public interest is, and "sink or swim, live or die, survive or perish," we are willing to meet it upon a faithful adherence to the principles we conceive to be right.

THE last issue of this paper closed the 24th volume and with this issue we enter its 25th. There have been times in the past when the Anvil Herald was making more money than at the present time but considering the long continued drought and the prospect of its continuance we have no complaint to make. The Public of Hondo and Medina County have been generous in their patronage and we have no fears but what we shall continue to enjoy all the patronage that we merit. And we seek nothing save on the merits of the service we give. The Anvil Herald has never received anything as a gift nor do we seek any. And while we seek the patronage of every one on these terms, we do not want the patronage of those who expect us to sacrifice a single principle as the price of such patronage. We have followed the newspaper business for the past ten years and have made practically every thing we possess out of that business without ever making such a sacrifice. Our course in the future shall be the same as it has been in the past, and, with confidence in what that course shall bring us, we solicit the continued patronage and good will of all who believe in a man being honest in his convictions and having the courage to express them.

THE fellow who stops his paper because he becomes offended at some item that does not suit his fancy, always imagines he is getting even with the publisher, but he is never missed. This only happens occasionally for there are only a few people in any community who imagine a paper should contain nothing but what they approve of.—Nixon News.

In a speech delivered since the primary, Judge Poindexter said: "As certain as you and I live, Texas will be forced to write upon her statute books a law limiting the amount of money candidates may expend in making a campaign for a State office and providing the means and ways by which a successful campaign can be made in compliance with such law. If this is not done, the time will soon come, if it is not here now, when the man of moderate means will be debarred from seeking or obtaining the honors of the State." The full force of these words may be the more readily understood when it is observed that the sworn expenses of the Candidates in the recent gubernatorial race was as follows: Poindexter, \$15,111.71; Colquitt, 11,778; R. V. Davidson, \$10,411; and Cone Johnson, \$6,221.70. As Judge Poindexter says, something must be done. If present conditions are permitted to continue indefinitely the office will eventually be knocked

Do good in the world as you're prancing along and throw the harpoon into error and wrong and always remember the man with a scowl is dense as a donkey and dumb as an owl; the man who is joyous fills others with joy and people will call him a peach of a boy. Oh, live while you're living and hold up your head, for a man never knows how long he will be dead. Drive out all that's vicious and mean from your mind; be honest and tender and faithful and kind; don't criticize pilgrims who wander astray, but jolly them back to the straight and narrow way; don't grumble around when you're doing your chores, but kick up your heels like a colt out of doors; get what pleasure you can, for when all's done and said, a man never knows just how long he'll be dead! Some time in the future your main-spring will stop and death will come up with a skip, jump and hop; and when you are facing that grizzly old cuss, and looking your last on the world and its fuss, 'twill brace you and

"Some Class" to This Fish



This shows Rudolph Richter, Willie C. Martin, Otto Schweers and Eugen Huesser and the gigantic cat fish.

The fish weighed 42 pounds, dressed, and was caught in the Medina river above Castroville by the above fishermen.

off to the highest bidder, in effect if not in reality.

WHEN Hope abdicates her throne and mourning Melancholy sits in the sackcloth of misfortune and the ashes of lost opportunity, yield not to brooding despair. Man is never defeated until he admits his defeat. What though lost opportunities lie about you, like wind-tossed leaves in autumn's northern blasts, Time, like naked boughs of the forest tree, will again be filled with the bursting buds of promise that harbingers a fruitful heritage to him who learns to labor and to wait. Be up and doing. Heed not the dead sea-fruit, of yesterday. Today is yours; use it. It is not the talents we bring at the final summing up that will count, but the use we have tried to make of those that have been given us, and man has no time to mourn over what might have been.—Hondo Anvil Herald. Which, translated freely, means don't be a quitter; get a move on yourself and eliminate that yaller streak.—Galveston News.

cheer you, and let you down light to know that you always stood up for the right, you'll make no excuse for the life you have led, though you have no way of knowing how long you'll be dead.—Walter Mason.

—Get it at Windrow's.
—Fish every Friday at Brown's short order house.
—Let your next buggy or hack be a John Deere. There are none better. Leinweber & Huesser.
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A Brass Band will furnish the music for the occasion.

Plenty of Refreshments on the ground. Base Ball game in the afternoon by leading teams.

Programs will be sold at the gate

Everybody Invited

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C. D. Conley, "Thee Tailor."
Bailey can do it. Phone 1-2-5.
Postal cards at F. A. Heyen's.
Ves Downs is back from Uvalde.
Bailey cleans and presses clothes.
Patronize our advertisers; it pays.
Pipe and Pipe Tobacco at Windrow's.
Hair ornaments a specialty, Heyen & Co.

Frank Koehl went to Waelder Monday.

Chocolates and Bon Bons at Hutzler's.

Bailey, Tailor and Hatter. Phone 1-2-5.

Fine sausage and brick cheese, Heyen & Co.

Bailey Cleans, Presses, Dyes and Repairs.

Ice cream and cold drinks at F. A. Heyen's.

A swell suit for \$12 or \$14 at C. D. Conley's.

Fruits, Candies and Cold Drinks at Hutzler's.

For a good Tooth Brush come to Windrow's.

Chocolate candies of all kinds at F. A. Heyen's.

Phone or send us the news. We will appreciate it.

A beautiful line of Dutch collars at Heyen & Co's.

Hose to water your garden with at Holloway Bros.

Tom Heath shipped a car of wood to Alpine Monday.

Ice Cream and Cold Beverages served at Hutzler's.

See the Briar Root Pipes at Windrow's; from 25c up.

Metalized stone ware; you can cook in it, Holloway Bros.

Two cars of lumber have been received here this week.

For a good Tooth Paste try "Ny-denta"; 25c at Windrow's.

M. Schwartz shipped a car of horses to Schulenberg Wednesday.

Matt Rath, the City Baker was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

John Hartmann shipped a car of cattle to San Antonio Monday.

Studebaker wagon! that is the one that you want, Holloway Bros.

Everything in Silver-ware and Cut Glass at Windrow's Drug Store.

Fountain drinks served at F. A. Heyen's new Soda Fount, south side.

Gus. Batot and family, formerly of Sansom, have moved to San Antonio.

Charter Oak Stoves! the kind that your neighbor uses, Holloway Bros.

No grocery store any where can offer you a better service than Brown & Goff.

Buy a hamburger and eat 'till you burst at Wilkinson's Hamburger Stand.

For Sale, one surry, at a bargain. See us at once, McClagherty & Horger.

Fix that old furniture up with Chinamel, it will make it look like new, Holloway Bros.

Arnold Oefinger is enjoying a week's vacation and visited in Sabinal the first of the week.

Instant delivery at Brown & Goff's whether your order is 10 cents or \$10. Give us an order.

Up a Stump?

as to what to buy for a Present. Then it's clearly evident that you haven't seen

WILLMANN'S JEWELRY

or you would have been "mind made up" long ago. What is in my line?

Why everything in the Jewelry line, Watches, Novelties, Clocks, Silver Ware, Cut Glass, Hand-Painted China, Etc.

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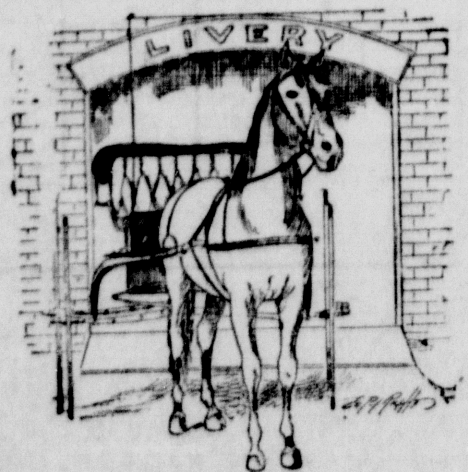
Get Chi-Namel for your furniture, Holloway Bros.

Have your clothes cleaned and pressed by Bailey, phone 125.

Anything and everything in fancy can goods. Heyen & Co.

Our grocery trade is growing for the reason that quality is our first consideration. Brown & Goff.

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Did You See

that rig the other day? There is one here for you. Ring 37 ---order it now

HONDO LIVERY & FEED STABLE

McClagherty & Horger, Proprietors.

Bailey, the cleaner and dyer.

See those pocket Knives at Holloway Bros.

Of course we sell it if it's groceries. Brown & Goff.

We can save you money on buggies, Holloway Bros.

H. C. Rothe, the telegrapher, has returned from San Antonio.

Just received a new line of patent leather belts. Heyen & Co.

Better buggies for less money; let us show you, Holloway Bros.

A. H. Knolle came up Thursday from Sinton to look after his interests here.

The Buick car—nine models, \$650 to \$2000. The car for service. C. R. Gaines.

Come and see the 10c counter. There will be something you will want. Heyen & Co.

For sale cheap, a Draughton's Business College scholarship. Apply at this office.

Have Conley to order you a suit. They are so cheap. Good fit and work guaranteed.

The best butter in town. We buy and sell. Come and see what we have. Heyen & Co.

No better bargains in suits ever offered than is now on at C. D. Conley's. Go see them.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Thomas are now sojourning at Port Lavaca and enjoying the cooling sea breezes.

We want to sell Fisk tires. They will give you satisfaction and save your tubes. Hondo Motor Sales Co.

—Meet me at the Soda Fountain. Cool, sparkling drinks served from the beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.

A marriage license was issued August 9 to Martin Nester and Miss Lizzie Koch, two D'Hanis young people.

Did you ever use the Lee broom? They are always the best and the best is the cheapest. See Heyen & Co.

F. Murguiondo, representing the Texas Portland Cement Co., of Dallas, Texas, was here yesterday on business for his company.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 350 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

Two cars of north Texas hay were received here this week. This will probably be the forerunner of many like shipments this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Love are here from Taylor on a visit to A. H. D. Hurt's family. Mrs. Love is a sister to the late Mrs. Hurt.

Attention is called to the announcement of Hugh F. Woods for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Hondo, at the November election.

Cotton has ranged as high as 15c per pound here this week, one bale bringing \$99.30 on the local market. It was selling at 14½ as we went to press.

Elsewhere will be found the announcement of J. B. Ney as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner from the D'Hanis precinct. Mr. Ney is so far without an opponent. See the proper column.

In changing our announcement column last week we made the mistake of taking out Mr. Brucks' announcement for District Attorney. Mr. Brucks is the nominee by 160 majority in the district and our column appears this week as it should be.

Arrangements have been made to have the Eagle Pass baseball team visit Hondo for a return series of games with the local team. The Eagle Pass boys are expected to arrive on the evening train Monday, August 22nd, and play one game that evening.

Two games will then follow on the 23rd in time for the boys to return home on the evening train.

B. C. Wiemers and R. S. Howard are two of our present commissioners who are not standing for re-election. Mr. Howard informs us that in his precinct Denny Barnes is out as an independent candidate against Golden Grant, the Democratic nominee. This race will be watched with more than the usual interest as on its issue will depend the showing of the relative strength of those in the precinct who favor and those who oppose party nominations for precinct offices.

The editor of this paper returned Thursday from Galveston where, as alternate, he represented Medina County on the floor of the State Democratic Convention. It was a great convention, 1000 or 1200 delegates from all parts of the state being present. Colquitt's forces dominated the convention and dictated the platform as outlined and suggested by Mr. Colquitt. A coalition between the Colquitt and Poin-dexter forces gave Bailey a large directing influence in the convention and enabled him to again score a victory over his opponents who again let their zeal outrun their discretion in making a very untimely and uncalled for fight upon him. We shall not attempt to give a write-up of the convention as our readers will find it thoroughly covered in their city paper. It is proper to say, however, that the writer enjoyed his stay in the Island City but was glad to get back to Hondo and into harness again.

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A. E. Klein was here from Batesville this week on business.

The best Flour at the lowest prices can be found at Heyen & Co's.

You'll cut down your grocery bills by dealing with us. Brown & Goff.

Buy the Studebaker wagon; you know that is good, Holloway Bros.

A whole hog and a bakery shop for 5c at Wilkinson's Hamburger Stand.

FOR SALE, a good, young buggy horse. Perfectly gentle. Joe Huesser.

Just received, a car of oats. Give your horses a treat by feeding oats. McClagherty & Horger.

When settling up your accounts don't forget to pay your subscription to this paper. We need what we have earned.

Any one wishing to save money on the purchase of a new piano will find it to his interest to consult the editor of this paper.

This is the time for ice tea. Golden Gate is the only kind to buy. Go to Heyen & Co. and get it. They always keep the best.

We want your butter if it is fresh and put up in 1 lb. pkg. Will pay fancy price for fresh butter. Must be pounds, not ½ or ¾ packages. Heyen & Co.

It is not only because we know how to do things right, but that we want to that makes our store a superior grocery store. Brown & Goff.

The Mothers' Club will meet with Mrs. H. J. Meyer next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. Mrs. Fletcher Davis, Sec.

Claude Easterling, formerly editor of the Floresville Advertiser, and wife and brother-in-law, Tom Myers, passed through here in their automobile Monday en route to Del Rio.

Estrayed, one red cow, one red and white spotted cow and two calves, one calf wore a bell. Any information leading to their recovery will be appreciated by Will Earnest, Hondo.

Mrs. Frank Woolls and children and Mr. Don Sanders are here from Pearl-sall guests of W. H. Windrow and family. Mrs. Woolls and Mr. Sanders are sister and brother of Mrs. Windrow.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Saathoff and little son, Marshall, have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives at San Antonio, New Braunfels and Somerset. Mr. Saathoff reports a drouth at those places.

For Sale, the best-paying proposition in Hondo, no work—will not interfere with your business. Cleared 33 per cent the past season. Get busy. Opportunity knocks only once. Apply at this office.

The Commissioners Court is in regular session here this week with all members of the Board present. Aside from a canvass of the scholastic census to determine the basis for the issuance of saloon licenses in the county, only routine matters are being transacted. A synopsis of their proceedings will appear in our next issue.

Geo. W. Jones, President of The First National Bank of this place, is enjoying an outing in Galveston this week and shared with the alternate from this county the honor of representing the militant Democracy of Medina County on the floor of the State Democratic Convention and in casting the county's two votes against the Cone Johnson cohorts' efforts to tack a verniform appendix to Mr. Colquitt's platform.

Bailey makes old hats new.

Bailey cleans and presses clothes.

Ernest Thorp, editor of the D'Hanis News, was here Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Newton and children are visiting relatives at Seguin.

Adolph Haby of Dunlay was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Geo. I. Hall, who has been in Arizona for several months, has returned home.

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make that watch of yours go you may as well give it to the baby to play with, it's days of service are sure ended, and it is a question with you now of buying a new one. You ought to come here for a new watch for the same reason that prompts you to bring us your repairing jobs, because we are in a position to give you the highest grade of satisfaction. As we said, we can get all the service out of a watch that there is in it down to the last tick, if you will let us look at it occasionally. And as for new watches—well, just take a few minutes some day to look over what we have. That's all we ask.

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Buy You a Horse Brush, Shoe Brush or Scrub Brush Here.

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All Tinware and Dry Goods at Cost. Give us a trial.

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THE BOSS TO RUFUS

"Rufus," said the boss, "you're starting in wrong."

"This idea of yours that the boss is going to get out of you all he can for the money is right, but your idea that you ain't going to do any more than you get paid for, that you ain't going to give the boss something for nothing, is about as foolish as it could be. It's about as sure a way as you could find of always keeping yourself down and never amounting to anything at all."

"Of course the boss wants all he can get out of you for what he pays you—why shouldn't he? When you buy anything you want full value for your money, don't you? Why shouldn't you give full value when you sell?"

"You say you do give a full day, a full square day, but you don't see any reason why you should give any more, why you should make the boss a present of anything valuable."

"How foolish! Suppose you found one grocer who, when he sold you a pound of sugar gave you down, plump, generous weight, and another who gave you a pound but looked sharp all the time to see that he didn't give you a grain more? Which grocer would you patronize? Eh?"

"Don't you suppose the man you work for likes men who give down, plump, generous weight in work? Don't you suppose that that's the sort of man the boss likes to do business with and that he keeps? Isn't that the sort of man that always has work, whether anybody else does or not?"

"Don't be satisfied with giving just full measure of work, with doing your stent. Take an interest in the business and do all you can, and don't be afraid of responsibility. Make yourself valuable as well as useful."

"Going home on the subway last night I heard two business men talking shop together, and one of them was telling the other about some changes that he had just made in his store."

"It seems that this man had working for him two young men who had both been with him some time, but one longer than the other and getting more pay. After a while the next man still higher up than these two young men went out and somebody had to be promoted to his place. Naturally the man to go up would have been that one of those two who had been there longest; but said this man, was doing the talking, the other man who hadn't been there so long, was now the better man."

"They were both good, faithful, desirable men, you understand, both workers; but the man who had been there longer could only do what he was set to do, while the other had gone ahead in him and he wasn't afraid; he was ready to meet and tackle anything that came along and able to get away with it, a good man in the business. 'And,' says the man who was telling this, 'I hated to have to promote the junior over the senior's head, and the senior was older in years too; but what else could I do?'"

"Suppose you were in business for yourself, Rufus, and suppose you'd got in that business every dollar you could rake and scrape. You'd be interested in that business, wouldn't you? Well, some; you'd be more than interested, you'd be anxious and you'd plug in and work harder than anybody you could hire, besides taking all the risk."

"You'd have your troubles, yes; more than anybody else in the shop, and you'd want to get all the work that was coming to you out of the men you hired? Naturally. Now suppose you had working for you two men, one of them having that idea that he wasn't going to do anything he wasn't paid for and the other man who pitched in and did everything he could and worked for the good of the business, keeping that in mind all the time and not thinking about himself, not caring a snap whether he stayed a minute late or an hour."

"Which one of those two men do you think you'd like better and which one do you think you would advance the pay of and promote and hang on to? That's an easy one, isn't it?"

"Now suppose this man that wasn't thinking of himself all the time, but was thinking of how he could help your business, should turn out also to be able and capable and courageous; not only devoted but able to do things; don't you suppose you'd help him all you could? If you had a grain of sense you would, and I think you have got some sense and that's why I'm talking to you."

"What I am telling you is, don't be afraid that somebody is going to get the best of you; the only man that can do that is yourself. Don't get the whistle habit; get as far away from that as you can. Here is just one more pointer."

"Don't be disappointed if you don't get promoted the first minute. The boss has been disappointed many a time in men who started in grand style and petered out the next month or year—to get there you've got to be a stayer. You'll get there, all right, if you are."

A Conservator of Time.

"How do you spell onomatopoeia?"
"I don't spell it."
"You don't?"

"No; life is too short to use words of more than four syllables."

A suffragette may be an old girl who isn't satisfied with her lot.

SUGAR A NEED OF THE BODY

Requisite Food for Both Children and Adults, According to Eminent Authority.

"Give children plenty of pure sugar, taffy and butter scotch and they'll have little need of cod liver oil," says Dr. Woods Hutchinson. "In short, sugar is, after meat, bread and butter easily our next most important and necessary food. You can put this matter to a test very easily. Just leave off the pie, pudding and other desserts at your lunch or midday dinner. You'll be astonished to find out how quickly you'll feel 'empty' again, and how 'unfinished' the meal will seem. You can't get any workman to accept a dinner pall without pie in it. And he's absolutely right. The only thing that can take the place of sugar is beer or wine. It is a significant fact that the free lunch counters run in connection with bars furnish every imaginable thing except sweets. Even the restaurants and the lunch grills attached to saloons or bars often refuse to serve desserts of any sort. They know their business. The more sugar and sweets a man takes at a meal, the less alcohol he wants. Conversely nearly every drinking man will tell you he has lost his taste for sweets. The more candy a nation consumes, the less alcohol."

The Best Hour of Life

is when you do some great deed or discover some wonderful fact. This hour came to J. R. Pitt, of Rocky Mt., N.C., when he was suffering intensely, as he says, "from the worst cold I ever had, I then proved to my great satisfaction, what a wonderful Cold and Cough cure Dr. King's New Discovery is. For after taking one bottle, I was entirely cured. You can't say anything too good of a medicine like that." Its the surest and best remedy for diseased lungs, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hay Fever—any Throat or Lung Trouble. 50c., \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

The Comet's Tail.

The tail of a comet is composed of gas, existing in a highly rarefied condition. Little particles of electricity called corpuscles, or ions, are being constantly given off at enormous speed by the sun. Each meteorite in the comet's head is surrounded by its own rarefied atmosphere. When one of these little ions strikes one of the molecules of gas in the comet's atmosphere, it carries it off with it to form the tail. The electrical charge makes the gas luminous, and it is by this light, and not by reflected sunlight, that the tail is made visible to us. A comet's tail, therefore, seems to be merely a very extended aurora—Century.

Life On Panama Canal

has had one frightful drawback—malaria trouble—that has brought suffering and death to thousands. The germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "Three bottles completely cured me of a very severe attack of malaria," writes Wm. A. Fretwell, of Lucana, N. C., "and I've had good health ever since." Cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney Troubles, and prevent Typhoid. 50c. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

Inertia of the Nerves.

The researches and experiments of a French scientist have led him to the conclusion that the cerebral nervous system is incapable of perceiving more than an average of ten separate impressions per second. After each excitation of the nerves a period of inertia follows, lasting about one-tenth of a second, and during this period a new impression cannot be made. According to the investigation of this scientist a person cannot make more than ten, or at the most a dozen, separate voluntary movements of any kind in a second, although the muscles independently of the will, are capable of making as many as 30 or 40.

They Have a Definite Purpose.

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder ailments. Mrs. Rose Glaser, Terre Haute, Ind., tells the result in her case. "After suffering for many years from a serious case of kidney trouble and spending much money for so-called cures, I found Foley Kidney Pills the only medicine that gave me a permanent cure. I am again able to be up and attend to my work. I shall never hesitate to recommend them." W. H. Windrow.

Humorous Hobo.

The professional tramp or hobo is not without humor. At Stroud (Eng.) police court the other day one of the fraternity was sentenced to 14 days for tearing up his clothes while at the workhouse. He had only one eye and when asked how he lost the other optic, with a sardonic grin he answered: "Looking for work."

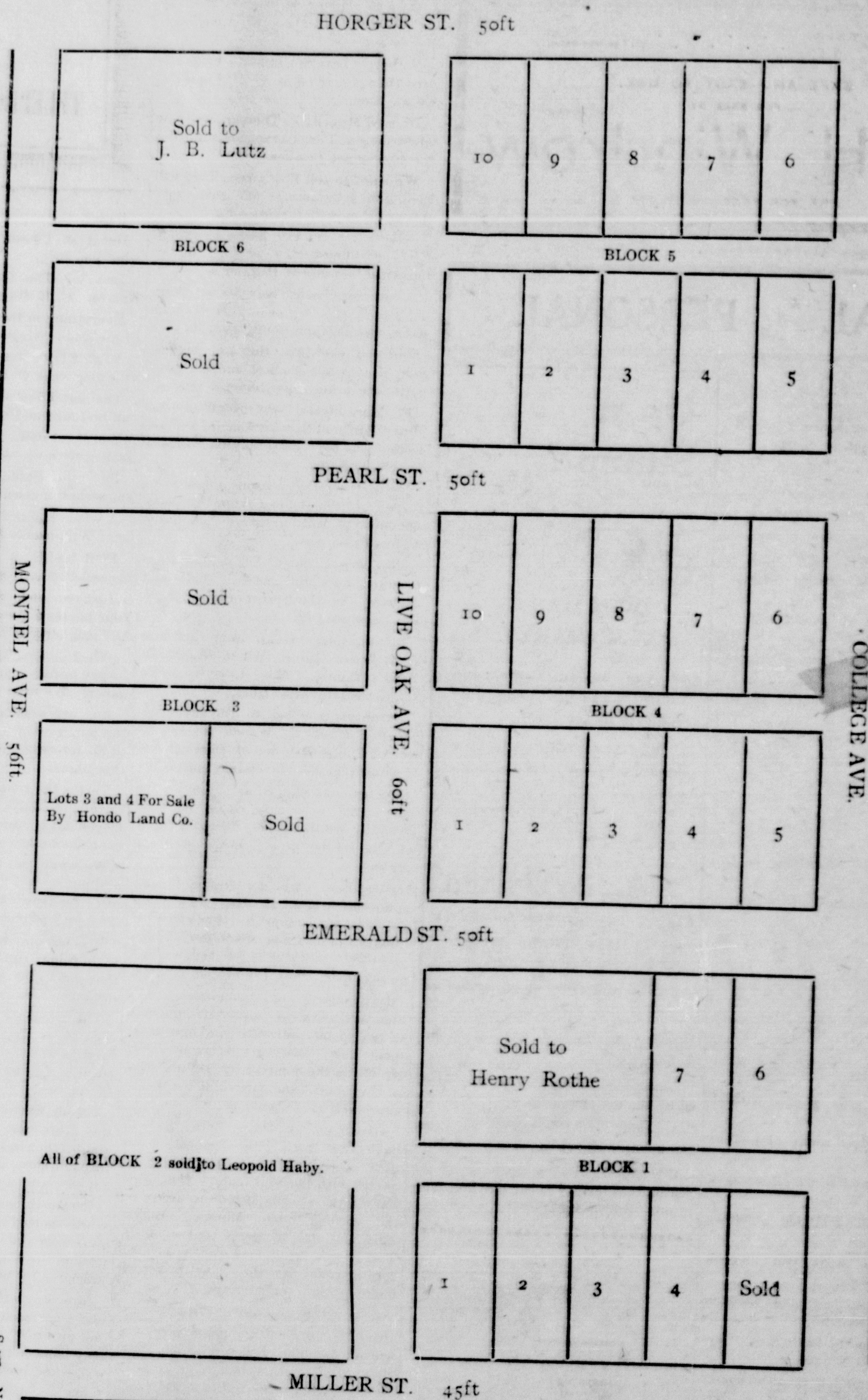
For Quick Relief From Hay Fever

Asthma and summer bronchitis, take Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly relieves the discomfort and suffering and the annoying symptoms disappear. It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages of the head, throat and bronchial tubes. It contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Refuse substitutes. W. H. Windrow.

THE TIME TO INVEST In Hondo Property

Is now before the prices go any higher. Buy now and the increase in price that is bound to come with the continued growth of the town will be your profit. The lots shown on the following plat are now on the market at prices ranging from \$200 to as low as \$125 a lot and offers a splendid field for investment. Pick out your choice from the plat and

Buy Now in the Beautiful Miller Addition



The foregoing is a complete plat of the entire Miller Addition to the town of Hondo, situated adjoining the school house. The six lots on the east side are 70x140 feet; all others in the addition are 60x140 and are for sale at from \$125 to \$200 per lot. It will be observed that a number of these lots have been sold. Not one that has been sold could be bought for less than a considerable advance over the first cost. Don't delay longer but get prices at once from J. W. Miller, owner, or

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Other desirable town, farm and ranch property in Hondo and Medina County for sale. Make your real estate wants known to us.

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PAVEMENT PHILOSOPHY.

Sometimes back numbers are valuable.

Revenge is sweet only to a perverted taste.

Better be prepared for both worse and better.

A good guesser always has plenty to keep him busy.

Spanking has gone out of style, but the world any better?

It's a long lane that has no turning to see if anybody's looking.

Business combined with pleasure is usually more than 50 per cent. pleasure.

When things are too high, don't reach for them; they will come down to you.

If a thing is too good to be true, perhaps it would be better if it weren't.

It's a good deal better to be struck with an idea than with something more fatal.

If your nightmares come in the daytime, you'd best see a doctor and then reform.

A lean horse for a race, perhaps, but not so lean that it needs a fence to support it.

The way some people go at things is enough to make you wish you had never learned a trade.

HONOR.

No profit, it is said, is without some honor. But this has never been definitely settled.

As yet, however, it has not been well received in the best society, most social leaders considering it superfluous.

While it is extremely rare it exists in the most unexpected places. Traces of it have been said to be found in companies.

Common or garden honor, is used by the plain people. It is found in large quantities in the slums. Some thieves are even said to possess it.

Honor is a product original in the age of chivalry and imported to this country by the Puritans. Since then it has been trying to get acclimated, with indifferent success.

Honor is not always durable; and it frequently happens that the individual receiving it is disappointed in having it suddenly snatched away. This happened to Napoleon Bonaparte and George Dewey, not to mention other more distinguished examples.

Honor has made several attempts to enter American politics, but has never succeeded. It was present at the death of Caesar, but not at the birth of the Standard Oil Company.—Thomas L. Masson, in Smart Set.

THE VAGABOND PHILOSOPHER.

Wild oats and grass widows are often afflictions.

The falsehood of to-day is often the truth of to-morrow.

In the social swim the water is never as fine as it looks.

The modern way is to marry at leisure and divorce in haste.

When a woman makes a show of herself it isn't always a comedy.

The man who is liberal in his views seldom lets it affect his pocketbook.

When you begin to take things philosophically you are settling down.

When Desire calls upon a pretty young matron, his card always bears a fictitious name.

A woman will tell you she dresses to please her husband, even though he swears every time she puts a new dress.

A popular Lenten diversion is playing diabolio with the commandments; the rest of the year the world forgets all but the eleventh one.—Smart Set.

SIDELIGHTS OF LIFE.

Time and taximeters wait for no man.

Nowadays a referee is more in demand than a rector.

The other woman profits by the mistakes a man's wife makes.

Many strings to one's beau do not always tie the matrimonial knot.

Though a moth is very fond of dress, it is not at all particular as to style.

Freakishness is the eccentricity of mediocrity; originality, that of genius.

How easy it would be for a man to remain in love with his wife if he had only married somebody else!

Referring to a woman as being on the shady side of 40 is likely to ruffle her sunny disposition.—Smart Set.

PERSONALS

See Hondo Land Co. for real estate.

For Rent, The City Hotel, 22 rooms. Apply to F. Metzger. Hondo. 4t.

—New Johnson Grass hay, a heavy bale for 60c. at Fulton's. Phone 61.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

Rev. Ira Jacksone will begin a revival meeting at the Christian church next Sunday.

Emmett de Montel spent several days in Galveston this week taking in the Carnival.

For Sale Cheap, four mules, harness, wagon, farm implements, apply to W. B. Odum.

—Get your hardware at Gaines, the cheapest place, 22 shot R. F. Smokeless, 15c box.

Conley is giving from \$2 to \$10 off on Spring and Summer Suits. Look at the samples now.

Refugio Alvarado and Maria Camargo were married Saturday morning by Judge Lamm.

For Sale, 400 bushels of new corn in the shock. Call on Emil Leinweber, Hondo, Texas.

Mrs. J. G. Brucks and children returned Thursday from their visit to Kinney County.

Herman Petry of Hockley, Texas has accepted a position in J. H. Meyers' blacksmith shop.

Cherri Pepsin, a delicious, healthful drink served at F. A. Heyen's confectionery, 5 cents a glass.

Lost, a gold watch fob. Finder will please return to G. W. Bailey at tailor shop and receive reward.

Wanted, next week, 500 men who have loose wagon and buggy tires to set. J. H. Meyers' shop.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Mrs. Jim Forester and baby of Pearl-sall are guests of Mrs. Forester's brother, Geo. Bailey, and wife.

For Sale, 200 acres of land, 7 miles north of Hondo on Tarpley road, 115 acres in cultivation. W. J. Earnest.

For Sale or Rent, —The Sellers places in Garwood and Burnside Additions. Apply to Fletcher Davis or H. B. Taylor.

When in need of any thing in a hurry from the grocery store phone 36 then you will know what prompt grocery service means. Brown & Goff.

We have a few second hand buggies for sale, both rubber tire and steel tire. See us and get prices; cheap. McClaugherty & Horgor.

For sale cheap, iron bed springs, mattresses, dressers, wash stands, cook stove, dining room table and screen doors. Call at Hotel Armstrong.

Parties desiring to get their name on the Independent ticket as candidates for county or precinct office must get their petitions in by the 22nd of this month. Get busy.

FOR SALE, one 8-room residence, freshly painted, 120 ft. front on street, 3 blocks from postoffice. For price and terms apply to Mrs. L. J. W. Edwards, Moore, Texas. 7-2 3mo

J. T. Horgor is now ready to make and repair your shoes and boots, harness, collars and valises; sharpen saws, scissors, razors, etc. Prices reduced to suit the times. Give him a trial.

Now is the time to buy your honey. 6 lb. buckets, comb, very best, 80c per bucket; 12 lb. buckets at \$1.50; 60 lb. cans, comb, at 12c per lb. Extracted, 60 lb. cans, two to a case, 10c. Heyen & Co.

Letter to Joe Britsch.

HONDO, TEXAS.

Dear Sir: Here is a story that tells the fact as truly as if it were true.

At the time when President Lincoln was shot, in 1865, a man had three houses alike, in like condition, and situated alike. He meant to find out, by experiment, which of three paints would prove most profitable.

He painted the first house lead-and-oil, the second Devco, the third another good paint; and, afterwards, painted each house when required, for thirty years, with the paint he painted it with at first.

He got 25 gallons of each for the job; had 1 gallon left on the first house, and 4 on the second; but had to get 7 gallons more for the third. He was surprised at the difference; he had expected one paint to go as far as another.

The costs of the several paints by the gallon were not far apart; lead-and-oil \$1.60; Devco \$1.75; the other paint \$1.50; and the cost of all three was the same for labor, \$3 a gallon.

Lead-and-oil he has painted once in three years, Devco once in six, and the other paint once in five years.

Any school boy can reckon his costs for those three houses for thirty years; that's a business man's lifetime.

Lead-and-oil \$1104 00
Devco 498 75
Other paint 864 00

And the story is just as good as if it were actual history. Paint is so profitable that even dear paint is cheap; but half the money paid for paint is thrown away by using weak paint, supposed to be cheap, but is dear.

Strong paint is cheap; weak paint is dear; the least gallons paint is the economical paint; Devco.

Yours truly,
F W DEVCO & CO
P. S. Holloway Bros. sell our paint.

Notice to Farmers.

The railroad at this point will not allow any weighing on its platform, so I have been forced to establish a cotton yard and have located it on the lot adjoining the section house on the west side where I will be pleased to have you bring your cotton to be weighed.

In case you don't sell your cotton to any buyer here and it is left on the yard the yardage will be five cents per bale. If sold in the yard the yard fee will be paid by the buyer.

Respectfully,
H. H. CROW,
Public Weigher, Prec. 1, Hondo.

Water Works Notice.

We charge a flat rate of one dollar per month for use of water for yard. It takes 12 or 15 minutes per day, one hydrant, for a customer to get his dollar's worth. All used over this is actual loss to us. Please calculate our losses and be more reasonable in the use of water during this dry season, otherwise we will be compelled to cut it out entirely or charge a much higher rate for sprinkling privileges. Water yards in day time only. Water for gardens or irrigation not allowed.

I. WILSON, Manager.

Some of the best lots in the Miller Addition are still on the market at the original price of \$125 and \$150 per lot. Buy now before the rise in value and reap the benefit. The owner, J. W. Miller, or his agents, The Hondo Land Co., will take pleasure in showing you over the addition.

C. W. Grell has completed the painting of the Christian church and that building is greatly improved in appearance.

Mrs. August Hornung had the misfortune to stick a needle in the fleshy part of her thumb, breaking a part of it off Wednesday. Surgeons made an unsuccessful effort to remove the part and it is feared she may suffer a great deal of pain from it.

TO MY PATRONS: On account of the continued illness of my little boy, I will be away from Hondo for a short while. I have left my office in charge of a competent dentist who is ready to serve you at all times. R. P. Thomas.

The Hondo Volunteer Fire Co. held its regular monthly meeting at the court house Monday night. Owing to the rush incident to the cotton season all business was postponed until the next regular meeting.

As we go to press a report comes to us that J. S. Monkhouse is being solicited to run for County Treasurer but as no announcement has yet been forthcoming we are not in a position to authenticate it.

District Attorney C. C. Harris went to Uvalde Thursday to attend an examining trial in a murder case. A man by the name of Neely shot another and killed him in that town the first of the week.

Master Jules Schmitt gave a party to his little boy friends Tuesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt, in honor of his 9th birthday, and all had an enjoyable time.

The Anvil Herald expects to have some good news soon to relate about the new well that has been under way for the past two years.

Aug. Tschirhart is here attending Commissioners Court. So far, we believe, Mr. Tschirhart is without opposition for re-election.

E. E. Zinsmeyer and family passed through here Saturday enroute to San Antonio where they will reside in the future.

There will probably be several from here to attend the Sons of Hermann picnic at Castroville tomorrow.

Messrs. Hurt and Jones are nearing completion of the brick work on the addition to the school building.

Mimke Saathoff was down from Upper Hondo Tuesday. Mimke said they had a good rain last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Falkenberg visited relatives and friends in Galveston during the Cotton Carnival.

Joe Fohn spent several days in Galveston this week enjoying the sea breezes and recuperating.

Miss Blanche Strong arrived Saturday from Llano and is the guest of Miss Meda Meriwether.

C. F. Lehmann of Hallettsville and W. R. Hardy of Jourdanston came in Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris and children visited relatives in San Antonio and Devine this week.

Sheriff Joe Ney and sons, Ed and Bill, attended the Sheriff's convention at El Paso this week.

C. L. Marty, the Castroville Commission man, was here yesterday on business.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

Rev. Ira Jacksone arrived yesterday from San Antonio.

Mention the Anvil Herald to our advertisers.

The Anvil Herald does job printing.

Land? land? See Hondo Land Co. Tell them where you saw their ad.

EASY WORK ON THE FARM

Day of Hard Labor Has Gone By, According to This Tiller of the Soil.

A Jackson county farmer, serving on the jury recently, stood in the hallway of the Criminal court building a day or two ago, stretching and yawning, and complaining about not getting enough exercise out on the farm. "You fellows around the city do a lot of walking and shifting about," the farmer commented to a city man. "When I was on the farm plowing and cultivating the soil I had no complaint to make about not getting enough exercise," was the suggestive comment of the city man. "You lived away back there at a time when a man followed the plow and lifted it around at the end of the furrows, after having carried it to the field on his back, and such things," the farmer explained. "We ride and plow these days, you know. Most everybody else is done by machinery. Why, we have to construct a gymnasium on the farm to get a little exercise when we get up in the mornings and before we go to bed at night." Then he stretched and yawned again, while the city man kicked himself—metaphorically—for having to work so hard.—Kansas City Star.

Personals from D'Hanis.

Messrs. Chas. Wipff of Devine and Frank Ahr of San Antonio were guests of Miss Clara Zuercher during the holidays.

Miss Theresa Zuercher of Hondo was over to spend the 4th here.

Misses Mattie Kieffer of San Antonio and Josie Delbrail of Devine, who spent an enjoyable 4th and 5th here, left for California and its principal points of interest.

Messrs. Fritz and August Wipff of Del Rio were the guests of Leopold Zuercher and family.

Miss Hattie Zuercher left for Dunlay Sunday evening. C. Z.

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H. P. HORNBY
of Uvalde as a candidate for Representative 97th district, as the Democratic nominee.

For District Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
L. J. BRUCKS
of Hondo as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 38th Judicial District, as the Democratic nominee.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction

We are authorized to announce
W. N. SAATHOFF
as a candidate for election to the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County at the November election.

For Tax Assessor

We are authorized to announce
H. B. TAYLOR
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina county at the November election.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce
CHARLES B. BROWN
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
AUGUST SCHUEHLE
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Clerk

We are authorized to announce
JOS. F. HADER
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Medina county at the November election.

For County Treasurer

We are authorized to announce
RALPH J. NOONAN
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County, at the November election.

For Tax Collector.

We are authorized to announce
AUGUST HORNUNG
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Medina county at the November election.

For Tax Collector.

We are authorized to announce
JOE NEY
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Treasurer

We are authorized to announce
JESSE G. NEWTON
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina county, at the November election.

For County Treasurer

We are authorized to announce
SERAPHIN KELLER
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina county, at the November election on a strictly two term ticket.

For County Treasurer

We are authorized to announce
LOU E. HEATH
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Medina county, at the November election.

For District Clerk.

We are authorized to announce
AUGUST KEMPF
as a candidate for the office of District Clerk of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce
GEORGE E. NEUMAN
as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce
B. H. BRUCKS
as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce
T. McCLAUGHERTY
as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce
J. B. NEY
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, at the November election.

For Justice of the Peace

We are authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher

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